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SALONIKI OFFENSIVE WITHOUT A DECISIVE BATTLE EITHER SIDE

ENTENTE ALLIES PUSHING FOR BULGARIAN FRONTIER
WITH SERBIANS OPENING DRIVE
FOR MONASTIR.

PORTUGAL PREPARES ENTER STRUGGLE

Franco-English Military Commission Leaves for Portugal to Help
Prepare Small Republic's Entrance in Titanic War
on Side of the Allies in Next
Few Weeks.

(BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.)

BULLETIN

LONDON, Aug. 21.—The Allied offensive at Saloniki is a signal for renewed reports that Rumania is at last about to throw her lot with the Allies. The reports are more circumstantial than ever before. German press comment indicates they are far from being devoid of foundation. One Berlin newspaper declares that Rumania has already joined the Allies and is making plans to match the Russian armies across that country. It says that Germany and Austria will probably send an ultimatum to Bucharest demanding an account of the Russian Rumanian negotiations. Rumania has 600,000 men under arms, which is reported to be the best equipped army in Europe. It is in a position to deal a powerful blow against Bulgaria from the north in conjunction with the Allies' drive from the south.

LONDON, Aug. 21.—The great offensive opened by the Allies Sunday on the Saloniki front is developing, but no decisive action has yet been fought. The British and French troops, advancing on the right, have crossed the Struma River and are pushing northwest toward the Bulgarian frontier. At the same time the Serbians opened a drive for Monastir and captured the Bulgarian first line trenches. The extreme left, however, immediately south of Monastir, suffered a reverse and evacuated Banica. Greece, at the center of the mouth of the great Vardar valley, the main highway through Serbia. This point is the scene of violent artillery actions tonight.

Saloniki reports state that Italian troops have been landed there to join the general offensive, if corroborated, this means that Italy has finally decided to declare formal war against Germany, as the Germans are admittedly directing the Bulgarian campaign. At certain points Berlin reports that the Bulgarians are on the offensive, but London and Paris interpret this as a political move and not a serious move on Saloniki, the Bulgarians thus hoping to influence Rumania and the forthcoming elections in Greece.

Fierce fighting continues in the Stokhod region, on the Eastern front, where the Russians advance menace Kovel and the German salient at Pinsk. The battle is also raging on the crest of the Carpathians, both sides claiming minor successes.

There is no material change on the Western front since last Friday. The German counter attacks at several points along the British lines have met with repulses. London says. The Germans are now making a powerful effort to recapture Flersy, on the Verdun sector, but Paris says unsuccessfully. Extensive preparation is being made in Portugal for that country to enter the war.

The British forces in German East Africa have forced the passage to the Wami River and are now approaching the important town of Kilossa, says the official statement tonight. They also advanced further eastward in Dar Es Salaam, supported by naval operations.

Allied Commission to Leave Paris.

PARIS, Aug. 21.—Preparatory to Portugal's active participation in the war, a Franco-British military commission will leave here shortly for that country to cooperate with the Portuguese authorities.

M'GREGOR THINKS EX-VILLISTA HEAD G.O.P. MAY WIN EXECUTED BY THEM

NATIONAL COMMITTEEMAN IS OF
OPINION THAT TEXAS MAY
AID HUGHES.

MILITARY REPORT SAYS FRED
ERIC CHAVEZ KILLED
TURNING TRAITOR.

By Associated Press
CHICAGO, Aug. 21.—D. F. Mc-
Gregor, Chicago's former Villa
general, who disappeared several
months ago, has been captured and
executed by a Villista band in South
Chiapas, according to a military report. They killed Chavez because
the former Mexican Rosalia
Hernandez, now holds a Carranza
commission.

Two Dead From Powder Explosion.
By Associated Press

ASHLAND, Wis., Aug. 21.—Two
men were killed in an explosion in
the big plant dynamite works at
Baraboo today.

Tollie Depot Started.
Special to The News

THE NEWS—The New
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Great Railroad Presidents Called to Washington to Confer on the Strike



(1) Samuel Rees of the Pennsylvania; (2) E. E. Calvin of the Union Pacific; (3) W. H. Truesdale of the Lackawanna; (4) E. P. Ripley of the Santa Fe; (5) B. F. Bush of the Missouri Pacific; (6) L. F. Luree of the Delaware & Hudson.

These and other presidents of like

great systems of railroads have been called to Washington by President Wilson to confer with him about the threatened strike. The president dealt with their representatives up to a time where his suggestion of settlement were found to be so sound that the authority of the railroad executives in them.

WILSON PLANS TO OPEN BUTTE DAM

PRESIDENT AND CABINET MEM-
BERS WILL ATTEND CELE-
BRATION.

CARRANZA AGENT MEETS FERGUSON

SAYS THAT MEXICO SENDS BEST
WISHES AND HOPES FOR
BETTER.

By Associated Press

ATLANTA, Aug. 21.—Juan Antonio Arizola, special representative for the Carranza government, arrived today and held a friendly conference with Governor Ferguson regarding the border conditions. The old Ferguson said that Carranza had the good wishes and desire good will and peace along the border. Ferguson replied that Texas appreciated the friendly and cordial attitude of the Carranza government.

Arizola left on Saturday night.

THE WEATHER

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Tuesday.

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